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## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

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Sir:

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-referenced patent application is hereby made pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. It is respectfully requested that the RCE be approved. Please charge the fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (e) to Deposit Account 500417. Along with this request, a petition for a three month extension of time up to and including August 13, 2007 is being filed concurrently herewith.

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